

Legislative Chaplains Long-Time Friends

Friends of the chaplains in the state legislature, Rev. Sherrod Soule in the senate, and Rev. Edward P. Ayer in the house, will be interested to learn of the long-time relationship between the two men and their families. Fifty-four years ago the fathers of these men were located as pastors in adjoining parishes in the eastern part of Connecticut. The Rev. George Soule in Hampton and the Rev. Charles L. Ayer in Mansfield Center. These two were most intimately associated, visiting each other in their homes, and aiding one another in their parishes. Their friendship grew to be intimate and confidential. Their difference in temperament and taste was such that they supplemented each other in an unusual way. In speaking of friendship, to the son, the Rev. Edward P. Ayer, the present house chaplain, following the death of Mr. Soule, the father stated that George Soule was the purest-minded, sweetest-spirited man that he had ever known, and he had known many men.

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Some years after the contact in the Naugatuck valley, we find Mr. Soule superintendent of the Congregational Home Missionary Society of Connecticut, and Mr. Ayer in his father's old parish at Mansfield Center. Here Mr. Soule visited in the old parsonage where the fathers often visited, and during his second visit of this kind the two men walked up the church aisle as their fathers had done fifty years before remarking the fact, which brought to the mind of each tender recollections of the past and the wish that in years to come the boys of these sons might also walk up the same aisle in the same way.

In this later visit Mr. Soule was sent off with the minister's wife to an afternoon service and to see an old lady who had been married by his father fifty years before. Mr. Soule on this drive held the reins over a white-faced chestnut. The horse always gave a good account of himself. On his return Mr. Soule alighted, walked all around the tail chestnut, remarking:

"Why, Ed! that horse takes a real interest in the road."

To which Edward replied, dryly:

"In Sherrod, I always preferred a horse that takes interest in the road rather than in the track."

Both these men trace their ancestry back to the Mayflower. Soule to George Soule of the Mayflower group, Ayer, through his grandmother, direct to Elder Brewster.

These two friends have been coming together in county and state meetings through all these years of work in the old state. Now a remarkable coincidence, apparently, has brought them together as chaplains of the senate and house. They are wondering where next they will rub shoulders. It has very likely been in the hearts of these men that if only the fathers could step in and share the joy of the sons in the office, their happiness would be complete.

Birthday Dinner

A dinner of twelve covers was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smith on Washington street Tuesday evening celebrating Mr. Smith's birthday. The decorations to the dining room were roses and lilies, while wistaria and lilies were used effectively throughout the house. Guests were present from New London and New York.

How anxious people are to help you when you are in a position to help yourself.

COUNTY Y. M. C. A. KEEPS

TOWN GROUPS BUSY

Activities under the auspices of the County Young Men's Christian Association include the following towns:

Last Friday night the boys of the older groups in Jewett City invited the younger boys to be their guests at Ashland Lake where a camp fire and supper prepared by the boys themselves, was enjoyed. Twenty-three boys were present. Arrangements have been made for an overnight hike to some point of interest for June 1. A track meet with the boys of Lebanon has been scheduled for later in the month.

At the meeting of the Versailles Y. M. C. A. group on Wednesday evening the following officers were elected: President, Harry Marphett; vice president, William Hill; treasurer, Theodore Benson; secretary, Clifford Clark. The members are eagerly looking forward to a "weenie roast" next Monday night, which will close the regular meetings of the group. This group has pledged \$10 for the boys to attend Camp Towhee.

The Lebanon boys are to have an athletic programme which will include a wrestling match under the supervision of Secretary Keller, Friday night of this week.

Under the supervision of Mr. Francis and Mr. Dart, the Oakdale boys will make a trip to New London Y. M. C. A. tomorrow night to enjoy a swim in the pool and a social evening.

The Stonington High School group will entertain the girls of the community at a camp fire and supper to be held at Deans Mill on Thursday, June 3rd. Mrs. Brown will chaperon the party. County Secretary Keller will also accompany the group on this outing.

F. H. Stanley, state boys' work secretary of New Haven gave a special lecture before the Planders Y. M. C. A. group last Tuesday evening. His subject was "The Physic & Care of the Body." The group is planning to have a New Haven attending the regular meeting of the county secretaries in Dwight hall.

Public Health Officials Meet

The annual meeting of the Connecticut Public Health association was held at the New Haven Lawn club Wednesday, opening at 10 o'clock, standard time. Health officers and physicians from all over the state attended. The programme included: "Undernourished Children"—What We Are Doing For Them? Dr. J. F. Locke, attending physician, Danbury hospital, Hartford; Miss Margaret J. Barrett, superintendent of nurses, New Haven hospital department; Miss Helen O. Bruger, visiting nurse, Cheshire; Miss

LUCINDA BOUSLEY, New London.

1238 n. b. "The Food Value of Cow's Milk With Reference to the Dangers of Tuberculosis and Scoury." Dr. J. I. Linde, clinical instructor dietetics, Yale Medical school, J. M. Whittelsey, commissioner of domestic animals; J. W. Alsop, proprietor, Woodford Farm, Avon.

"Control of Venereal Diseases," Dr. Daniel E. Shea, Connecticut State Department of Health.

YANTIC MAN APPEALS FROM

LEBANON FARM VALUATION

An appeal from the Lebanon board of relief by George A. Kahn of Yantic was on trial here Wednesday in the superior court before Judge Gardiner Greene.

All the evidence was in by 1 o'clock. After the noon recess the arguments for the plaintiff were made by Attorney Frank N. Gardner and for the defendant by Attorney Shields. Court adjourned at 3 o'clock till the next morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Kahn bought the Hoxie farm in Lebanon and he handed in his list in blank in the fall of 1919 and asked assessors to place the value for taxation at what it had been placed in the list by the previous owner. The amount was made \$5,815 and this was considered far too large by Mr. Kahn as property is taxed for about 75 per cent of its value in Lebanon. He tried to get the board of relief to reduce the amount but it declined to do so and appeal followed.

Charles J. Abell who has been town clerk in Lebanon for 30 years, testified that the assessors had valued their list with him before and after Mr. Kahn bought the Hoxie farm and the list were laid in. Then George A. Kahn testified to the buying of the farm and putting in his list and he was followed by George E. Parsons, Edward A. Hoxie, Eugene W. Clark, Frederick H. Race, Ralph L. Main, Charles G. Plam, Chas. A. Perkins, John S. Sullivan and Ellisha Waterman.

The plaintiff rested at 12:15 and then David W. Pitcher, Isaac G. Larkin and Orestis H. Foster testified for the defense.

FATHER RYAN GIVEN OVER \$4000 BY DANBURY PARISHIONERS

Rev. Father John Ryan, permanent rector of St. Peter's church, Danbury, observed Monday the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination. At a reception at the Knights of Columbus home, which was held at 10 o'clock, more than \$4,000. Father Ryan went to Danbury from Hartford in 1919.

Father Ryan, who was born in 1872 in Norwich, where he was educated in St. Patrick's parochial school and graduated from the Norwich Free Academy, class of 1890, pursued courses in the college and seminary of Niagara university and was ordained at Niagara on May 20, 1896. He was made assistant pastor of St. John's church, New Haven. He went to Hartford a year later and took charge of the parochial school of St. Patrick's church, at the same time being appointed professor of Greek in St. Thomas' Seminary.

Wednesday Hartford Courant said: In 1919 Father Ryan was assigned by Bishop Nihan to the pastorate of the Church of St. Lawrence at Danbury, and was named secretary of the diocesan board for the protection of dependent children. He was a member of the juvenile commission of Hartford for five years and was president of the commission for some time. He is a

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member of the state commission on child welfare. He has been constant in his attention to the inmates of the state sanatorium at Newington. Woodstock sanatorium at Cedar Hill and the Home for Crippled Children at Newington.

SKYLIGHT WAS BLAZING

At FERRY STREET FOUNDRY About 4:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon the fire department responded to a telephone call for a small fire at the Vaughn foundry building on Ferry street. The firemen found a skylight blazing and the flames were extinguished with a three gallon tank of chemical.

None of those at work in the building knew anything of the fire until the firemen arrived. The fire was discovered from a nearby office and the telephone call was sent in from there. The chief, deputy chief and auto pumper responded.

HOUSE REJECTS BILL FOR INCREASE IN SALARIES

Bills increasing the salaries of the sheriff, state's attorney, clerk and assistant clerk of the superior court of New London county are included among 13 bills which were rejected by the house of representatives in Hartford on Tuesday. The bills were among 16 which the senate adopted in a few minutes last week.

Those whose salaries are increased are: Tax Commissioner W. H. Blodgett and Chief Clerk E. H. Lounsbury in the office of Secretary of State Warner.

and the absolute judge of the Hartford common pleas court.

Representative Robert O. Eaton of the appropriations committee told the house that the salary increases would have aggregated \$50,000 a year.

YANTIC

Mrs. Henry and daughter, Lottie, of Rochester, New York, are spending the week in town, guests of Mrs. John Stokoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ma. Fishbone and son Gilbert of New York were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fishbone.

Miss Margaret Coughlin of New York spent the holiday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coughlin.

George Smith of Meriden spent the holidays with relatives here.

BAL TIC

James Stewart of the Baltic Hotel, who sprung a surprise on the club by getting married is back from his honeymoon. He is only three bachelors left with the club.

The grand stand for the ball club will have a seating capacity of over 200. It lights can be arranged for the baseball club will try and give the fans a hand cert once a week during the summer.

Mrs. Frederick Hopkins of New York is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. W. Collins of Railroad street.

Middletown.—Tag day for the benefit of the Middletown community service netted the sum of \$771.51, to be devoted to playground activities this summer.

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